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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

9 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 GEORGE WASHINGTON SIMS, III,

14 Defendant.

15 Case No. 2:20-mj-00321-DJA

16 **ORDER TO CONTINUE
PRELIMINARY HEARING**
(First Request)

17 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between
Nicholas A. Trutanich, United States Attorney, and Bianca R. Pucci, Assistant United
18 States Attorney, counsel for the United Stated of America, and Rene L. Valladares,
Federal Public Defender, and Rebecca A. Levy, Assistant Federal Public Defender, counsel
20 for George Washington Sims, III, that the Preliminary Hearing currently scheduled on
Wednesday, December 23, 2020 at 3:00 p.m., be vacated and continued to a time convenient to
22 the Court but no sooner than (30) thirty days.

23 This Stipulation is entered into for the following reasons:

24 1. The parties require additional time to discuss the potential for a Pre-Indictment
negotiation.

1 2. Counsel for the defendant will require additional time to review and investigate
2 discovery and meet with the client to discuss the details prior to proceeding.

3 3. The Defendant is in custody and does not object to the continuance.

4 3. The parties agree to the continuance.

5 4. Additionally, denial of this request for continuance could result in a miscarriage
6 of justice.

7 5. The additional time requested by this stipulation is excludable in computing the time
8 within which the defendant must be indicted and the trial herein must commence pursuant
9 to the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(b) and 3161(h)(8)(A), considering the factors under
10 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(i) and (iv).

11 This is the first request for continuance filed herein.

12 DATED this 14th day of December 2020.

14 RENE L. VALLADARES
15 Federal Public Defender

NICHOLAS A. TRUTANICH
United States Attorney

16 */s/ Rebecca A. Levy*
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18 REBECCA A. LEVY
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16 */s/ Bianca R. Pucci*
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Based on the Stipulation of counsel, good cause appearing therefore:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Preliminary Hearing currently scheduled on Wednesday, December 23, 2020 at the hour of 4:00 p.m., be vacated and continued to February 1, 2021, at 4:00 p.m. in Courtroom 3A.

DATED this 15th day of December 2020.

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DANIEL J. ALBREGTS, U.S. Magistrate Judge